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## **DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that: my residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name; I believe I am the original, first, and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first, and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

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the specification of which is attached and/or was filed on <u>June 23, 2006</u> as United States Application Serial No. <u>10/584,315</u> and was amended on <u>June 23, 2006</u> and/or was amended on <u>December 24, 2003</u> as PCT International Application No. <u>PCT/EP2003/014918</u> and was amended on (if applicable).							
I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56.							
I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or § 365(a) of any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below, any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or any PCT International application(s) having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed:							
Country	Application	on Number	Date of Filing	Priority C	Claimed Ur	nder 35 U.S.C. 119	
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I hereby claim the benefit	under 35 U.S.	C. § 119(e) of a	any United States provis	ional applicat	ion(s) liste	ed below:	
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I hereby claim the benefit application(s) designating the application is not disclosed in paragraph of 35 U.S.C. § 112 CFR § 1.56 which became a date of this application:	e United State n the prior Unit 2, I acknowled vallable betwe	s, listed below a ted States or Po ge the duty to deen the filing da	and, insofar as the subje CT International applica disclose information whi te of the prior applicatio	ect matter of e tion(s) in the r ch is material n(s) and the n	each of the manner pro to patenta national or	e claims of this ovided by the first ability as defined in 37 PCT International filing	
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